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At their Popular Grocery Store, opposite the Court House, keep constantly on hand an elegant stock of the very best

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CANNED GOODS OF ALL KINDS A SPECIALTY

The best brands of

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To be found anywhere.

Fruit & Vegetables in their season. Highest price paid for Produce

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New Fall Goods Arriving Daily!

AT THE GRANGE STORE.

Call in and see our Immense Line of

BOOTS & SHOES

And we will be sure to please you.

We are receiving daily additions to our already large stock of

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And at Prices sure to please.

We are sure buyers will find it to their interest to favor us with a call.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

Dr. G. W. Hilton,

Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.
Office on Main street, over Covert & Bartram's
Drug Store. Office hours from 2 to 4 and
from 7 to 9 p. m. 1589*

New Millinery Goods.

I would respectfully call the attention of
my numerous patrons and of the ladies generally,
to the fact that I have just received a
new stock of all the latest and newest
styles of fall and winter millinery goods of
all kinds. Please give me a call. Satisfaction
guaranteed. 1470ly.

Mrs. H. R. ODELL.

Public Examinations.

The following is the schedule of dates for
examination to be held during the ensuing
school year. These dates will not be
changed: Hartford, Nov. 28, 1885; Bangor,
Feb. 27th, 1886; Paw Paw, March 26 and
27, 1886; Gobles, Apr. 24, 1886; Decatur,
June 5, 1886. E. F. BRADY,
1588ly Sec. Board of Exam.

Merchant Tailors.

We desire to inform the public that we
have rented rooms over the "long brick" store
of E. Smith & Co., where we shall keep con-
stantly on hand a fine stock of piece goods,
and do all kinds of merchant tailoring in
first class style. Suits made to order. Sat-
isfaction guaranteed. 1572ly

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Buildings Moved.

The undersigned have completed arrange-
ments for moving buildings in the most
speedy, and workmanlike manner. Prices
reasonable. References, O. P. Morton, Tex-
as and Henry Wilson, Paw Paw. 1575ly

GEO. KESLER.
H. W. McCANN.

Photographs.

I take pleasure in announcing to the public
that I have re-opened my Picture Gallery,
at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw.
My apparatus is entirely new, and of the
most approved pattern, and I am prepared
to take pictures of all kinds in the highest
style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I
can please you. JOHN HODGINS. 51ly

Crockery and Groceries.

I have just purchased a new stock of
crockery, and have my store packed full of
goods. I sell crockery cheaper than the
cheapest. Call and be convinced that this
is no humbug. 67ly

LUKE GILMAN,
Paw Paw, Mich.

W. B. Hawkins.

Broker, Notary Public and Conveyancer.
Money to loan and collections made in all
parts of Van Buren County. Remittances
promptly made. Office opposite Dryden
House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1585ly

Farm For Sale.

For the purpose of settling the estate of
the late Eliza Durkee, the farm of 140
acres, belonging to said estate, situated one
mile north of Lawton, in this county, will be
sold on reasonable terms. 105 acres im-
proved, 35 acres of good timber, good build-
ings in excellent condition, 95 acres well
seeded, finely located for fruit culture. For
terms enquire at this office or on the prem-
ises. 1539ly

Horse Training.

I am prepared to train and break colts, also
to board same. Ugly and vicious horses
made kind. Office at my accommodation
and sale stable. WILBUR BAROCK,
Paw Paw, Mich. 1476ly

Omnibus Orders.

All orders left at the post office for Bur-
dick's bus to all trains and private houses
will meet with prompt attention. 12ly

J. A. Leech.

House, Sign and Carriage Painter, Paper
Hanger, and Ceiling Decorator. Shop on
Gremp's St., Paw Paw. 66ly

\$20,000 to Loan.

On improved real estate. Inquire of Geo.
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street, Kalamazoo. 11ly

J. H. McCahan.

Surgical Dentist, Paw Paw, Mich. Office
corner Main and Kalamazoo st's. All work
warranted. 1572ly

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Prater's is the place to get Photographs
done up in the latest style of the art, elegant
scenery and accessories. Also a very fine
assortment of Picture Frames, Cabinet
Frames, Easels, etc. All as low as the lowest.
A fine display of Christmas Cards at all prices. 51ly

New Tin Shop.

Having opened a tin shop in the old Har-
rison Block, in the village of Paw Paw, I re-
spectfully solicit a share of public patronage.
Repairing promptly done. J. H. WATERS. 97ly

Jewelry.

I have removed my shop to Geo. W. Long-
well's store, where I am prepared to clean and
repair watches and jewelry of all kinds. I
shall also keep in stock a good assortment of
jewelry. 1565ly PETER MACKEILLAR.

Money to Loan.

Parties desirous of obtaining Loans on
Good Security, will find it to their advantage
to call on me. Real estate for sale, Insur-
ance, Collections, and Conveyancing Solicited
1505-ly

Drive Wells.

Charles H. Scott desires to inform the
people of Van Buren County that he repairs
pumps of all kinds and puts down drive
wells. Twelve years' experience. Leave orders
at the store of J. W. Free, Paw Paw. 1592

Auction! Auction!

To all parties wishing the services of an
auctioneer. I am prepared to make Farm
Sales at reasonable rates. 1338ly
H. W. McCANN, Paw Paw, Mich.

Jewelry.

I have located again in Paw Paw, at Os-
born's furniture store, where I am prepared
to repair watches, clocks and jewelry, in the
best manner. Shall devote my entire time
to repairing, and guarantee satisfaction or no
pay. Thanking the public for past patronage,
and asking a continuance of the same, I am,
Respectfully, F. R. BASKETT. 1589ly

Legal documents copied with neatness and
despatch by Miss MAMIE L. ROWLAND,
1587ly Paw Paw, Mich

O. W. Rowland.

Justice of the Peace, Insurance Agent, No-
tary Public and Conveyancer. May be con-
sulted, during business hours, at the office of
the TRUE NORTHERNER.

Buck Wheat.

5,000 bush buckwheat wanted at Central
Mills. No 1 clean and dry, 60 cents per bush.
1596ly E. L. WISE.

Sheep Wanted.

Twenty-five or thirty stock ewes wanted.
Also, to let, twenty-five first-class rams. En-
quire at Grange Store, Paw Paw. 982ly

G. E. GILMAN.

Dr. Chas. B. Graham.

The old and reliable Surgeon Dentist has
located in Paw Paw for the practice of Den-
tistry in all of its various branches. Teeth
on Rubber Plate \$10.00 each, gold filling a
specialty, at from \$1.00 up, owing to cavity,
amalgam or silver, 25c to 50c, extracting
25c. First class work guaranteed. Rooms
at Union House. 57ly

To Wool Growers.

I have on hand a choice lot of rams, all
registered, which I will sell for \$10 to \$25
each. Equally as good as I sold one year
ago from \$40 to \$100. Now is the time to
improve your flock. E. B. WELCH.
9188ly

L. L. Leslie, agent for the Dayton Hedge
Company, entered their hedge at this, our
35th Annual Fair, and we, as a committee of
the Agricultural Society, learning from those
who have visited Ohio, and have made a
thorough examination of their fences of dif-
ferent ages, have become satisfied that their
fences, furnished, grown and matured by
them, is the cheapest fence built, as well as
ornamental. We also saw that a special at-
tention is given to thickening and making
the hedge impregnable to the smallest ani-
mal, and their care of it is never relinquished
until it is thoroughly stocked through. The
men of this fence rank with the best, which
we award a diploma on the same.
COM. VAN BUREN CO. AG'L SOCIETY.

Strayed or Stolen.

Strayed or stolen on the 27th day of Oct.
1885, one four year old light roan cow, bell
on rubber belt strap. Reward of five dollars
if delivered at "Mills" mill South of Ken-
dalls, or one dollar for information leading
to her recovery. 982ly JOHN A. GILSON.

Dancing.

N. Welch is prepared to give private or class
lessons in all the latest styles. Schools or
clubs engaging a teacher are assured of first
class work and instruction in the practical
Standard Style of Dancing approved by the
National Association of Teachers of Dancing
of the United States, for use by the mem-
bers of this respective classes. Music fur-
nished for Balls, Parties etc. Terms reason-
able, to suit the times. For particulars
please address,
N. WELCH, Paw Paw, Mich.

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.
Office over G. W. Longwell's. Special at-
tention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver,
and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and
Female Complaints—to all Chronic Diseases.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

A new sidewalk has been laid in front of
the Disciple church.

Mrs. E. E. Wooley, nee Root of Grand
Rapids, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. A. V. Dean of South Bend, Ind., is
the guest of Mrs. W. F. Cook.

Mr. L. S. Osborne has sold his residence
to Mr. Frank Parks. Consideration \$1,200.

Lynn Free went gunning the other day,
and captured a wild goose. Well done,
Lynn.

Mr. S. T. Bowen has been limping around
again, suffering with rheumatism. He has
our sympathy.

The NORTHERNER will receive any amount
of wood on subscription, allowing the market
price therefor. Green wood preferred.

A. H. Herron, who has been a traveling
member of the Detroit Fair, will retain
the same position with the Detroit Tribune.

Married, at Paw Paw on the 31st of Octo-
ber 1885, by Rev. L. D. Boynton, Mr. Geo.
M. Allard to Miss Hannah S. Clapp, both of
Anwerp.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Rowland, who have
been spending a couple of weeks visiting the
family of their son O. W., returned home
last Saturday.

November came in like a young winter, sig-
nifying its advent by quite a severe snow
storm, the first of the season, except a slight
flurry one day last month.

The Christian church social will be held
at the residence of A. McNeil, on Tuesday
evening of next week. Supper will be served
at six o'clock. All are cordially invited.

We call attention to the new "ad" of W. J.
Sellick, and especially to the great bargains
offered by him in the line of clothing of all
descriptions. Call and examine his stock.

The following is a list of letters remaining
in the Paw Paw postoffice for the week end-
ing November 2d: Grimes, M. N.; Hayson,
Nora; Philbrick, S. M.; Fench, Rev. Edson.

Farmer Prater, who intends to live in
town during the winter, has constructed a
poultry house in the rear of his photograph
gallery, where he will keep his chickens until
next spring.

Marshall Bullard had a set-to with a drunk
at the Clinton House, the other day. As
usual the marshal came out ahead, and the
drunk had to donate \$10 to the library fund,
besides costs.

A. Hathaway & Co., the veteran lumber
dealers, have something new to offer this
week. If you want lumber of any kind, lath,
shingles, tile or sewer-pipe, it will pay you
to give them a call.

Dr. Bartram and Lawyer Fitch are attend-
ing court at Bronson. They are engaged in
the case of the People vs. Monroe, a prosecution
for selling diseased meat. Mr. Fitch is
defending, and the Dr. is subpoenaed as an
expert witness.

Clum Engle and Will Thayer, accompa-
nied by Sam and Mulford Buskirk, are taking
their annual hunt in the north woods. A
saddle of venison hanging in Fowler's
market attested that they were not hunting
wholly in vain.

A difficulty of a very Payne-ful nature,
took place in the Lawrence school, a few
days since. We understand that the teacher
had the best of it, as usual. Consultation
with the prosecuting attorney failed to change
the status of the matter.

O. W. Rowland smoked the lucky cigar
that drew Covert & Bartram's double barreled
breach loading shot gun. By the way, smok-
ers can find a complete assortment of cigars
at the store of Messrs. C. & B. Anything
from "twofers" to straight Havanas.

Mr. Chas. H. Smith of Hartford, Conn.,
accompanied by his wife and sister-in-law,
Mrs. J. Gordon Smith, made a short visit to
their brother, Capt. E. Smith and his wife.
They came to attend the wedding of Chas. H.
Smith Jr., and returned home last Monday.

The National Democrat of Cassopolis,
Mich., has been doing a good work exposing
the bohemian oats fraud. The NORTHERNER
did the same thing when the same racket was
being worked in Van Buren county, a couple
of years since. Farmers who read the news-
papers ought not to be victimized.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed of Quincy, Mich.,
formerly of this village, have been making
a visit to friends here. They were called
here by the death of Mr. S. B. Fisk of Ken-
dall, Mrs. Reed's father. The old gentleman
died on Thursday last, aged eighty-one
years, and was buried last Sunday in the
Almena cemetery.

By honest dealing B. W. Broughton brought
on a good reputation, he has always brought
on good goods, and by judicious advertising
he has brought on crowds of customers, all of
which have brought on success. Many a mer-
chant has brought on disaster by a neglect of
the very means by which Broughton brought
on business booms and proud prosperity.

Mrs. Cross, mother of Mrs. Guy E. Chap-
pell, recently had a birthday party at the re-
sidence of her daughter. There were seven
old ladies present whose united age, as Guy
figured it up, amounted to 680 years. We
can't vouch for the correctness of the fig-
ures, but Guy is a pretty fair mathemati-
cian. Perhaps he was only geyting them.

Some sixty teachers, about five-sixths of
them ladies, were present at the examination
held in this village, last Friday and Saturday.
This was the smallest class that ever attended
a regular examination, the usual attendance
being much greater—from 130 to 165.
We shall give a list of the successful ones as
soon as it can be obtained from the secretary
of the board.

The second social party of the season will
be held at Longwell's Opera House, on Thurs-
day evening, Nov. 5th. Music, Snow's Full
Orchestra, consisting of eight pieces. The
boys had an elegant party a few weeks since,
and this, the second one will, doubtless, be
equally enjoyable. The music is first class,
and the company composed exclusively of
ladies and gentlemen.

Elder Russell, the new minister, who
spoke at the Disciple church last Sunday,
made a very favorable impression. He is a
young man—married though, girls—and evi-
dently possessed of a good education and a
reasonable amount of native ability. His
wife was with him. We understand that he
is expected to take charge of the church dur-
ing the coming year.

Lieut. Adrian Yates, is desirous of obtain-
ing the names and address of all the surviv-
ing members of the old 3d Mich. Cavalry.
His address is Grand Rapids, Mich. Every
member of the regiment should send him a
card. Col. J. K. Mizner, now stationed at
Jefferson Barracks, Mo., will attend the re-
union of the regiment to be held at Lansing,
on the 17th day of February next.

An elementary class in vocal music will
be organized in this village, on Friday eve-
ning, Nov. 13th. Arrangements have been
perfected whereby members of the various
Sabbath schools may join the class, free of
tuition. Those desiring books, which cost
half a dollar each, should give their names to
their superintendent next Sunday. Persons
not belonging to any Sunday school can leave
their names either with Prof. C. E. Hutchins
or Mr. J. W. Free. The tuition fee for such
parties will be \$1.50 the term of twenty
lessons.

A very pleasant surprise party transpired
at the residence of James Phillips, on Wed-
nesday evening of last week. The occasion
was the birthday of his estimable wife, Mrs.
Sophia Phillips. Upwards of sixty friends
and neighbors stormed their castle and took
forcible possession of it. In due time, an
elegant repast was served, so exciting indeed,
that some of those who partook thereof, have
yet to recover their normal status. But all
enjoyed themselves, in fact they had what is
popularly termed "a high old time." Mrs.
Phillips was the recipient of some elegant
presents, and, at their departure, her guests
most sincerely and heartily wished her many
happy returns of the day; and so does the
NORTHERNER.

Married, in this village, Wednesday morn-
ing, Oct. 21st, 1885, at the residence of Capt.
Ed. Smith, by Rev. H. W. Harvey, Mr.
Chas. H. Smith Jr. of Hartford, Conn., to
Miss Kittie Kimball of Paw Paw Mich.
The bride is a niece of Mrs. Smith and the
bridegroom a nephew of Mr. Smith. The
happy couple took the first train Chicago,
thence to N. Y. city, thence to Hartford,
Conn., their future home. The wedding,
while it was a quiet affair, was very recherché.
The bride's trousseau was costly and elegant
enough to excite envy in the hearts of any
but Paw Paw ladies, who are above the un-
worthy feeling, and the presents were mag-
nificent, \$1,500 being in cold cash, the father
of the groom contributing \$1,000, and the
genial Capt. Ed. \$500 of the sum. Among
the many presents, were a grand piano from
Mrs. C. H. Smith, and a beautiful and costly
clock from Mrs. J. G. Smith. The new-
ly married pair will occupy a new \$8,000
house, to be erected for them by C. H. Smith,
pater, at Hartford. May they enjoy all the hap-
piness to which their "fair start in life" would
seem to entitle them. The father says that
when he gets the young couple fairly settled,
he is coming to Paw Paw for a long stay.
Should he do so, he will find himself very
welcome.

THE ELECTIONS BADLY MIXED.

Massachusetts, New Jersey,
Pennsylvania, Connecticut
and Iowa, Republican—
New York and Virginia
captured by the Democrats

Special to the NORTHERNER.

DETROIT, Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.
New York democratic 20,000 to 30,000; Virginia
democratic 20,000; Massachusetts republican 20,000;
Pennsylvania republican 30,000. Iowa, Connecticut
and New Jersey republican.

Circuit Court.

The September term was closed on Satur-
day. The principal business of that day was
the argument of the old chancery cause of
Orrin Robinson & Co. vs. Kinney Adams &
Co., which was submitted to the court for de-
cision.

The November term was opened last Mon-
day. The calendar consists of two criminal
causes, the People vs. Lillian J. Barker and
the People vs. Wm. R. Greenman; eleven jury
cases, civil; seven non-jury cases, civil; three
imprisonments; four chancery causes, first class,
and eight chancery causes, fourth class.

The following business was transacted:
Wm. C. Spofford vs. Cyrus A. Sherrod—O.
N. Hilton—B. F. Heckert; settled.

Martha Mangna vs. Bennett Harrison—
O. N. Hilton—B. F. Heckert; continued.

Francis Burger vs. Almon Kennedy—O. N.
Hilton; continued.

Earle Matthews vs. John G. Todd; replev-
in—B. F. Heckert—Crane & Breck; Judg-
ment in favor of plaintiff for return of prop-
erty. Court adjourned until Saturday Nov.
7th.

NEW CASES.

The following new cases were commenced
during the past month; Volney E. Manley
vs. B. A. Cone et al., attachment. O. N.
Hilton.

Daniel Buskirk vs. L. H. Threadgould;
assumpsit. B. F. Heckert.

Perrin Shephardson vs. Aaron Raymond et
al.; assumpsit; appeal from justice court.

Henry Hammond vs. Angela Howard; spe-
cial appeal. Annable & Fitch—O. N. Hilton.

David Guernsey vs. Wm. M. Branch; replev-
in. O. N. Hilton and L. A. Tabor.

Geo. W. Markille vs. Margaret A. Mar-
kille; divorce. B. F. Heckert.

Loretta E. Booth vs. Cleora Emery; fore-
closure. Eugene Fellows.

Bernard J. Massey et al. vs. Harrison Kim-
ball et al. foreclosure. Geo. M. Buck.

Teachers' Institute.

The following is the programme of the
fall meeting of the Van Buren County
Teachers' Association, to be held at Goblie-
ville, on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 13th and
14th:

FRIDAY, A. M.

11:00—Organization.

FRIDAY, P. M.

1:00—The Relation of Rural and Graded
Schools.

Miss JORIE E. WRIGHT, Paw Paw.

2:00—Literature in the School.

Prof. J. A. FARRELL, Lawrence.

3:00—Reading.

Miss HETTIE EARLE, South Haven.

7:00—Lecture.

H. R. PATTERNOILL, Lansing.

SATURDAY, A. M.

9:00—Language in Primary and Inter-
mediate Classes.

Miss LUCILLA WARING, Paw Paw.

10:00—Science in the High School.

Prof.